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For: STOCHASTIC PULSE GENERATOR AND ABSOLUTE DIFFERENCE PROCESSOR,
AND MANHATTAN DISTANCE PROCESSING APPARATUS EMPLOYING THE SAME

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